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TAGS: ENRG, LY, UR
SUBJ: LIBYA SEEKS CRUDE TO SOVIETS

REF: TRIPOLI 0389

1. WESTERN OIL SOURCES INVOLVED IN MARKETING LIBYAN CRUDES
SPECULATE THAT TWO MILLION TONS LIBYAN CRUDE PURCHASED BY
SOVIETS COULD BE INTENDED FOR VIETNAM.

2. THESE SOURCES SAY LIBYA CONCLUDED CONFIDENTIAL AGREEMENT
LAST JULY OR AUGUST TO SEEL TWO MILLION TONS OF CRUDE TO
VIETNAM OVER UNSPECIFIED PERIOD AT VERY FAVORABLE
TERMS. PRICE WAS AT OR NEAR MARKET FOR SARIR GRADE, BUT
CREDIT EXTENDED FOR TWO YEARS FROM DELIVERY AT NO INTEREST.
NONE OF THIS CRUDE HAS APPARENTLY YET BEEN DELIVERED, AND
OILMEN SPECULATE THAT SOVIETS WILL REFINE THIS CRUDE AND
SHIP TO VIETNAM.
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